

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Claims 1-13 and 43 remain in the application. These claims have been allowed.

Claim 43 is amended to depend from claim 1 and to agree with the “beneficial organic substance” antecedent in claim 1.

Claims 42 and 44-55 have been objected to as being possible substantial duplicates of other claims (the allowed ones). Claims 42 and 44-55 have been canceled without prejudice or disclaimer placing the application in condition for allowance.

Should the examiner have any questions, please contact the undersigned.

All outstanding issues have been addressed and this application is in condition for allowance. Should any minor issues remain outstanding, the Examiner should contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below so they can be resolved expeditiously without need of a further written action.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency, or credit any overpayment, in the fee(s) filed, or asserted to be filed, or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Deposit Account No. 14-1140.

Respectfully submitted,

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